

**Total Historical and Projected Labor Force Participation Rate for Males, 1970-2045 \***

	<u>Census</u> <u>1970</u>	<u>Census</u> <u>1980</u>	<u>Census</u> <u>1990</u>	<u>Census</u> <u>2000</u>	<u>Estimate**</u> <u>2010</u>	<u>ACS</u> <u>2011-15</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2020</u>	<u>2025</u>	<u>2030</u>	<u>2035</u>	<u>2040</u>	<u>2045</u>
<b>MARYLAND</b>	<b>80.4</b>	<b>77.6</b>	<b>78.6</b>	<b>73.3</b>	<b>73.9</b>	<b>72.9</b>	<b>72.4</b>	<b>71.2</b>	<b>69.8</b>	<b>68.8</b>	<b>68.1</b>	<b>67.7</b>	<b>67.7</b>
<b>BALTIMORE REGION</b>	<b>79.1</b>	<b>76.3</b>	<b>77.0</b>	<b>72.2</b>	<b>72.7</b>	<b>71.9</b>	<b>71.6</b>	<b>70.6</b>	<b>69.2</b>	<b>68.2</b>	<b>67.6</b>	<b>67.3</b>	<b>67.4</b>
Anne Arundel County	83.1	81.6	82.2	77.1	75.9	76.0	75.4	74.0	72.5	71.5	71.0	70.7	70.7
Baltimore County	83.1	79.9	77.9	73.1	72.9	71.4	71.1	70.1	68.7	67.8	67.3	67.1	67.1
Carroll County	74.1	79.0	82.1	78.5	75.8	74.6	73.6	71.3	68.6	66.4	64.6	63.6	63.5
Harford County	85.7	82.9	84.4	78.9	76.7	75.0	74.3	72.5	70.7	69.6	68.9	68.7	69.1
Howard County	82.9	84.1	86.5	82.6	79.8	78.7	77.9	76.2	74.7	73.2	72.2	71.6	71.6
Baltimore City	74.2	67.5	67.4	59.1	63.6	63.5	63.9	63.9	63.1	62.7	62.4	62.2	62.4
<b>WASHINGTON SUBURBAN REGION</b>	<b>84.6</b>	<b>81.8</b>	<b>83.1</b>	<b>76.4</b>	<b>78.1</b>	<b>76.9</b>	<b>76.2</b>	<b>75.1</b>	<b>73.6</b>	<b>72.3</b>	<b>71.4</b>	<b>70.7</b>	<b>70.4</b>
Frederick County	80.3	81.3	83.5	80.5	78.9	78.0	76.9	75.0	73.2	72.0	70.9	70.1	70.3
Montgomery County	84.5	82.1	83.6	77.8	79.1	77.9	77.5	76.4	75.0	73.6	72.6	71.9	71.4
Prince George's County	85.2	81.5	82.6	73.8	76.7	75.4	74.7	73.7	72.1	70.9	70.2	69.5	69.2
<b>SOUTHERN MARYLAND REGION</b>	<b>81.9</b>	<b>79.5</b>	<b>82.9</b>	<b>78.1</b>	<b>76.8</b>	<b>74.3</b>	<b>73.5</b>	<b>71.7</b>	<b>69.9</b>	<b>68.7</b>	<b>68.0</b>	<b>67.8</b>	<b>68.1</b>
Calvert County	77.5	77.5	82.9	77.8	76.5	74.3	73.3	71.0	68.9	67.4	66.6	66.8	67.4
Charles County	81.6	80.5	83.3	78.2	76.4	73.0	72.1	70.5	68.8	67.3	66.2	65.9	66.2
St. Mary's County	83.9	79.5	82.3	78.4	77.5	76.1	75.3	74.0	72.2	71.4	71.1	71.0	71.0
<b>WESTERN MARYLAND REGION</b>	<b>73.7</b>	<b>71.0</b>	<b>67.0</b>	<b>62.2</b>	<b>62.3</b>	<b>60.4</b>	<b>60.0</b>	<b>57.6</b>	<b>58.0</b>	<b>57.4</b>	<b>57.1</b>	<b>57.2</b>	<b>57.7</b>
Allegany County	72.1	68.4	64.0	57.5	53.5	53.7	53.3	47.1	52.4	52.3	52.3	52.6	53.0
Garrett County	69.8	71.4	71.4	67.3	67.1	65.0	64.7	63.3	61.9	61.1	60.4	60.4	60.9
Washington County	75.7	72.6	67.8	63.8	66.3	63.0	62.6	61.4	60.1	59.3	58.9	58.9	59.4
<b>UPPER EASTERN SHORE REGION</b>	<b>76.9</b>	<b>73.2</b>	<b>75.5</b>	<b>73.2</b>	<b>71.1</b>	<b>70.0</b>	<b>69.5</b>	<b>67.8</b>	<b>66.2</b>	<b>65.3</b>	<b>64.7</b>	<b>64.6</b>	<b>65.1</b>
Caroline County	73.8	72.8	75.9	72.4	72.3	71.4	71.4	69.6	67.6	66.8	66.3	65.9	65.8
Cecil County	79.6	73.0	76.2	75.3	71.7	71.5	70.9	69.3	67.5	66.8	66.3	66.1	66.5
Kent County	75.2	69.3	71.4	68.0	65.4	64.1	64.0	62.7	61.4	60.4	59.7	59.7	59.8
Queen Anne's County	77.2	75.0	77.1	76.0	75.3	73.3	72.8	71.2	69.4	67.9	66.9	66.8	67.6
Talbot County	73.9	75.0	74.4	68.3	66.1	63.4	62.5	60.7	59.3	58.5	58.0	58.2	59.0
<b>LOWER EASTERN SHORE REGION</b>	<b>74.8</b>	<b>72.5</b>	<b>70.4</b>	<b>66.9</b>	<b>63.2</b>	<b>61.7</b>	<b>61.8</b>	<b>60.9</b>	<b>60.1</b>	<b>59.8</b>	<b>59.5</b>	<b>59.7</b>	<b>60.0</b>
Dorchester County	73.0	69.3	70.7	68.3	68.8	67.8	68.2	67.2	66.1	65.7	65.5	65.6	65.9
Somerset County	69.4	69.0	50.5	47.2	37.7	35.6	35.9	35.5	35.2	34.6	34.7	35.0	35.3
Wicomico County	77.0	74.1	76.7	73.6	68.7	67.0	67.1	66.0	64.9	65.0	65.0	64.9	64.9
Worcester County	76.6	74.6	72.8	66.9	65.1	63.6	63.2	62.3	61.4	60.6	60.0	59.8	60.4

\* Projected participation rates are calculated from rounded (to the nearest 10) population and labor force totals.

\*\* Labor force participation rates for 2010 are estimates based on the 2008-2012 American Community Survey.

These participation rates are applied to the Census 2010 population by age/sex to yield labor force estimates.

\*\*\* Labor force participation rates for 2015 are estimates based on the 2011-15 American Community Survey.